



MAIL STOP
AMENDMENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: P. Fortner Attorney Docket No.: FORP121050
Application No.: 10/631,089 Art Unit: 3765 / Confirmation No: 2026
Filed: July 30, 2003 Examiner: G.M. Hale
Title: ADHERABLE GARMENT PADS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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May 22, 2006

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is Amendment A and a First Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified application.

- X 1. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.
- X 2. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the period set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) but before the mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113, a Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311, or an action that otherwise closes prosecution, and is accompanied by:
- a. x a certification statement as specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e); or
- b. _____ the submission fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). Check No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	26	-	38	=	0	x	25	=	0
Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	100	=	0
TOTAL									\$0

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CERTIFICATION STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)

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1. I, the person signing below, state that:

- a. _____ each item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was first cited in a (any) communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the statement, or
- b. X no item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and, to my knowledge as the person signing this certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.
- c. _____ each item of information contained in the accompanying information disclosure statement was first cited in a (any) communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and this communication was not received by any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than thirty days prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement.

2. I, the person signing below, am:

- a. _____ the inventor named in the application

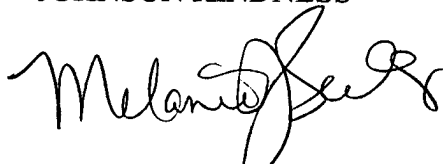
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b. X the attorney or agent who prepared or prosecuted the application, signing on the basis of:

- i. the information supplied by the inventor.
- ii. the information supplied by another individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c).
- iii. X the information in my file.

Respectfully submitted,

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